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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 3751  
PATENT

Customer No. 22,852  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Jean-Louis H. GUERET ) Group Art Unit: 3751  
Application No.: 10/073,302 ) Examiner: Huyen LE  
Filed: February 13, 2002 ) Confirmation No.: 7746  
For: APPLICATOR ASSEMBLY, ) Mail Stop AF  
SYSTEM, AND METHOD )

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed February 24, 2004, and pursuant to  
37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.